IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE re U.S. Patent Application of NISHIDA et al. Application Number: 09/924,762 Art Unit 265 Filed: August 9, 2001 **Examiner** Rodriguez, Glenda P. For: THE METHOD OF SERVO WRITING FOR MAGNETIC RECORDING SYSTEM, **MAGNETIC RECORDING SYSTEM** Attorney Docket No. ASAM.0017 RECEIVED

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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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This is supplemental to the Response filed on March 5, 2004 to the Office Action mailed December 10, 2003. Please further amend the above-identified application as follows: MAR 1 5 2004 S

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[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	19	19	(Over 20)	x \$18	0.00
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In addition, the below-identified communications are submit	ted in the above-captioned application or proceeding
[x] Supplemental Response to Office Action	[] Petition for Extension of Time
[] Statement of Consent by Assignee	[] Substitute Specification & marked-up copy
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[] Preliminary Amendment	[] Assignment

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